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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of: Harari et al.

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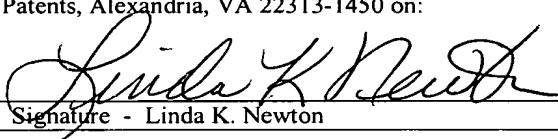
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**RESPONSE TO OFFICIAL ACTION**

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed June 6, 2003, please enter the following amendment: